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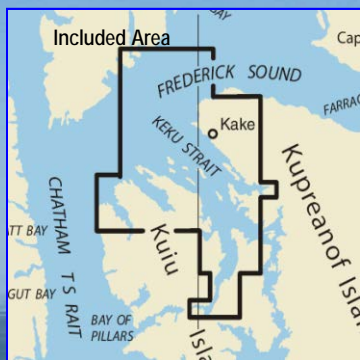
Keku Strait – Northern Part

NOAA Chart 17368

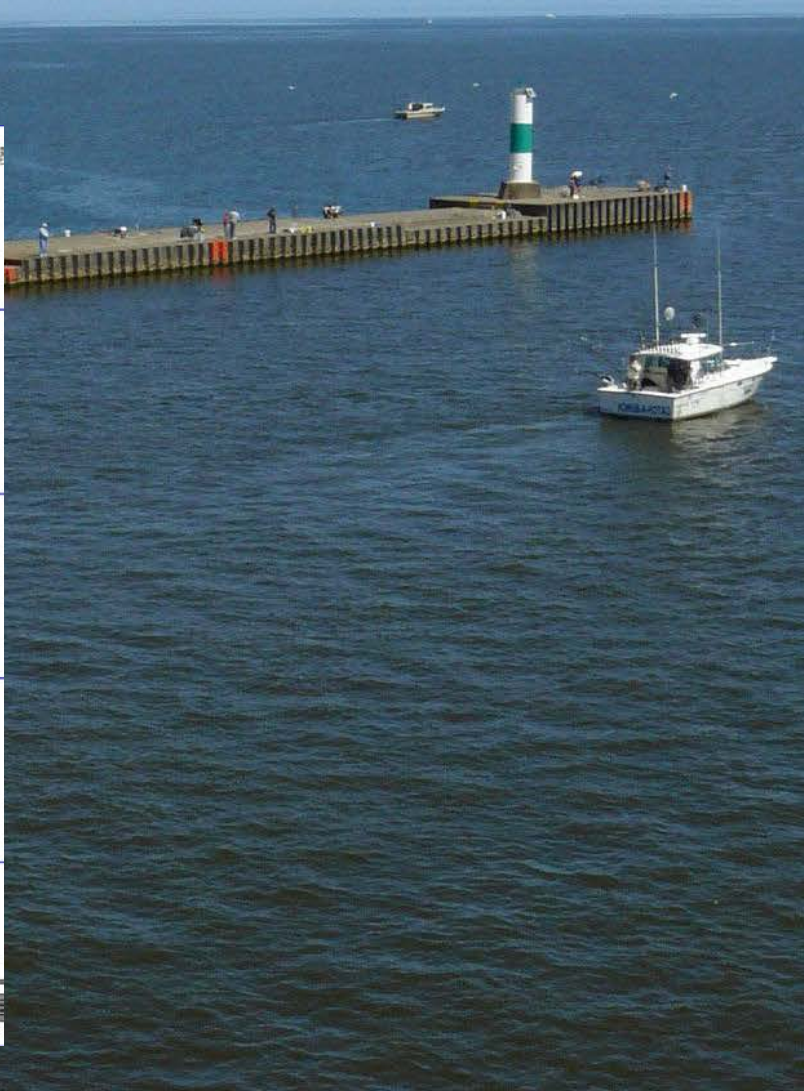
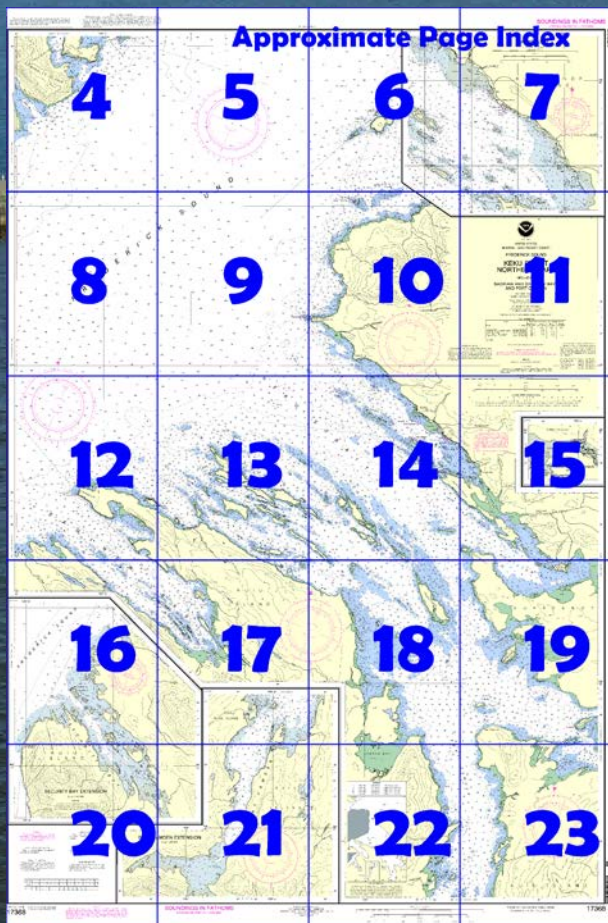


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What are Nautical Charts?

Nautical charts are a fundamental tool of marine navigation. They show water depths, obstructions, buoys, other aids to navigation, and much more. The information is shown in a way that promotes safe and efficient navigation. Chart carriage is mandatory on the commercial ships that carry America's commerce. They are also used on every Navy and Coast Guard ship, fishing and passenger vessels, and are widely carried by recreational boaters.

What is a BookletChart™?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

Whenever possible, use the official, full scale NOAA nautical chart for navigation. Nautical chart sales agents are listed on the Internet at <http://www.NauticalCharts.NOAA.gov>.

This BookletChart does NOT fulfill chart carriage requirements for regulated commercial vessels under Titles 33 and 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Notice to Mariners Correction Status

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.

For latest Coast Pilot excerpt visit the Office of Coast Survey website at <http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/searchbychart.php?chart=17368>.



(Selected Excerpts from Coast Pilot)

Keku Strait, marked by lights and daybeacons, connects Summer Strait with Frederick Sound and separates Kuiu Island from Kupreanof Island. Aids to navigation are exposed to high currents and are frequently destroyed by ice and debris. The strait consists of three parts: a large bay at the S and N ends, and a narrow, intricate passage, about 18 miles long, known as Rocky Pass, that connects the two bays. The following description covers

the S bay and Rocky Pass. The N part is described with Frederick Sound, chapter 8.

The bay forming the S entrance to the strait is very foul, particularly the E and NE shore. Navigation through any part of the bay should be with caution. The entrance to the bay is between Sumner Island and Point Barrie.

In the S bay, anchorage can be had about 300 yards off the E shore, E of Meadow Island. Anchorage can also be had in Threemile Arm, or in the NE part of the bay, NNE of Monte Carlo Island.

Point Barrie forms the E point at the S entrance to Keku Strait. Reefs and shoals extend from 0.5 to 1 mile off the point. **Barrie Island**, 0.9 mile SE of the point, is a wooded island making a good mark for entering Keku Strait from the E. Foul ground extends from the island to the shore.

W and NW of Point Barrie are numerous off-lying rocks, reefs, and islets. **Trouble Island**, 2 miles NNW of Point Barrie, is a prominent wooded islet at the outside edge of the foul area. Small craft with local knowledge can follow an irregular passage through this area, but this should not be attempted when the extensive kelp beds are not showing.

Conclusion Island is the large densely wooded island about 4.5 miles WNW of Point Barrie and 3 miles N of Sumner Island; it has several peaks and is generally steep-to.

No Name Bay, about 3 miles W of Conclusion Island, is constricted at its head by several wooded islets. Near the head is anchorage suitable for small craft.

Seclusion Harbor is a small inlet about 3.5 miles NNW of the W end of Conclusion Island. A chain of islands is E of its entrance.

Threemile Arm, N of Seclusion Harbor, makes off to the W at the NW end of the bay. Its entrance is obstructed by rocks. By proceeding with care, vessels can enter passing NE of the islet in the middle of the entrance, and find good protected anchorage in the middle of the arm in 5 to 8 fathoms, soft bottom.

In 1974, a survey revealed a rock awash in the middle of the arm in 56°35'45"N., 133°50'10"W.

Meadow Island is a low, wooded island in the E part of the bay, 4 miles N of Point Barrie. The island is used as a fox farm. Foul ground extends 300 yards S and 0.6 mile N of the island.

From Farragut Bay to Cape Fanshaw, the shore should not be approached closer than 0.5 mile. The coast is bold and heavily wooded.

Point Highland, 4.2 miles SE of Cape Fanshaw, is steep-to and wooded, but is not prominent.

Cape Fanshaw, at the junction of Stephens Passage and Frederick Sound, is a long, low, wooded point terminating in a moderately long point of bedrock, with a mound of bedrock at the extreme end and deep water within 0.2 mile of the point. **Cape Fanshaw Light** (57°11'07"N., 133°34'26"W.), 33 feet above the water, is shown from a skeleton tower with a red and white diamond-shaped daymark on the point of the cape.

Turnabout Island, about 13.5 miles WSW of Cape Fanshaw, is high and wooded. The shores are fairly bold except at the S end. The cove on the NW side of the island has temporary anchorage for small craft. An islet, 0.5 mile SW of Turnabout Island, shows as two rocks about 20 feet high, at high water; but at low water the ledge surrounding the islet shows for about 800 yards SW and on the line of the bare rocks. A clear channel 1.5 miles wide, between these rocks and Pinta Rocks, may be safely used in the daytime and with clear weather. **Turnabout Island Light** (57°07'55"N., 133°59'16"W.), 23 feet above the water, is shown from a spindle with a red and white diamond-shaped daymark on an islet N of Turnabout Island. A 5¼-fathom spot is about 0.7 mile SSW of the light in about 57°07'22.7"N., 133°59'56.9"W.

U.S. Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center 24 hour Regional Contact for Emergencies

RCC Juneau	Commander	
	17th CG District	(907) 463-2000
	Juneau, Alaska	

Table of Selected Chart Notes

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Mercator Projection
Scale 1:40,000 at Lat 56° 54'
North American Datum of 1983
(World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS
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POLLUTION REPORTS

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For Symbols and Abbreviations see Chart No. 1

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CAUTION

Hydrography in the vicinity of Security Bay is based on a reconnaissance survey of 1892. Shoreline, rocks and ledges have been added from aerial photography and Geological Survey sources, but additional uncharted dangers may exist.

AUTHORITIES

Hydrography and topography by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey with additional data from the Corps of Engineers, and U.S. Coast Guard.

SOURCE DIAGRAM

The outlined areas represent the limits of the most recent hydrographic survey information that has been evaluated for charting. Surveys have been banded in this diagram by date and type of survey. Channels maintained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are periodically resurveyed and are not shown on this diagram. Refer to Chapter 1, United States Coast Pilot,

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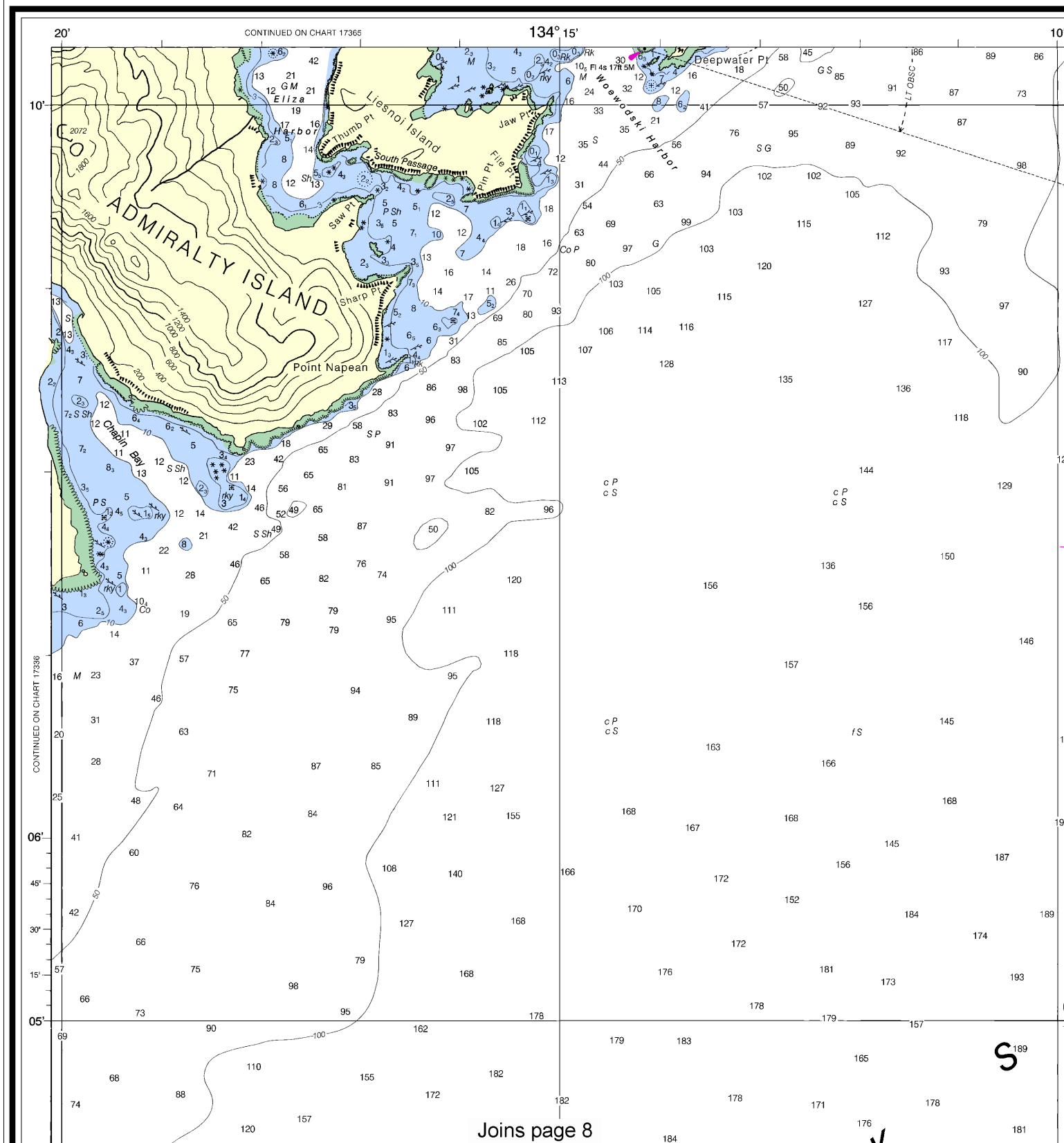
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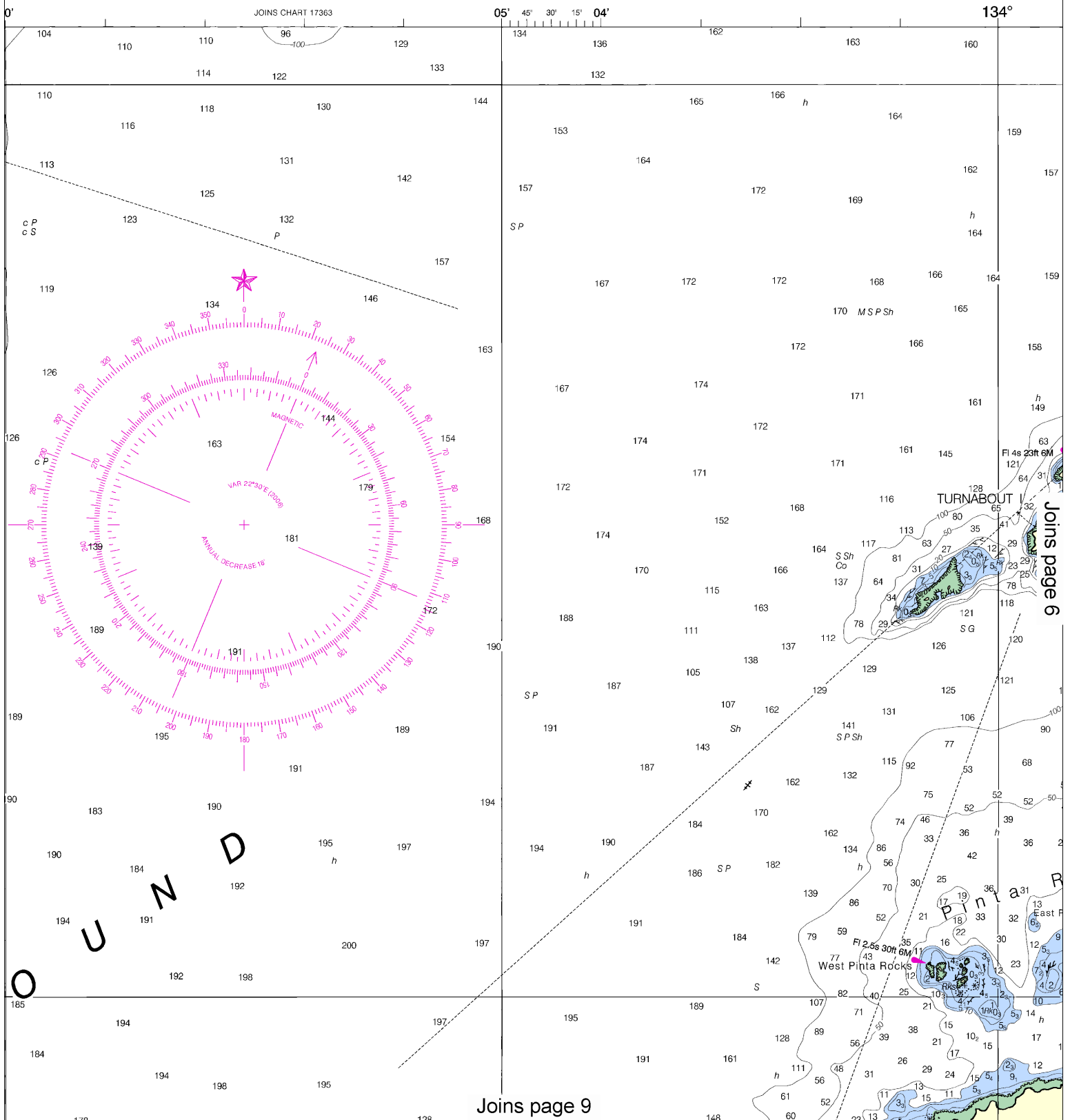
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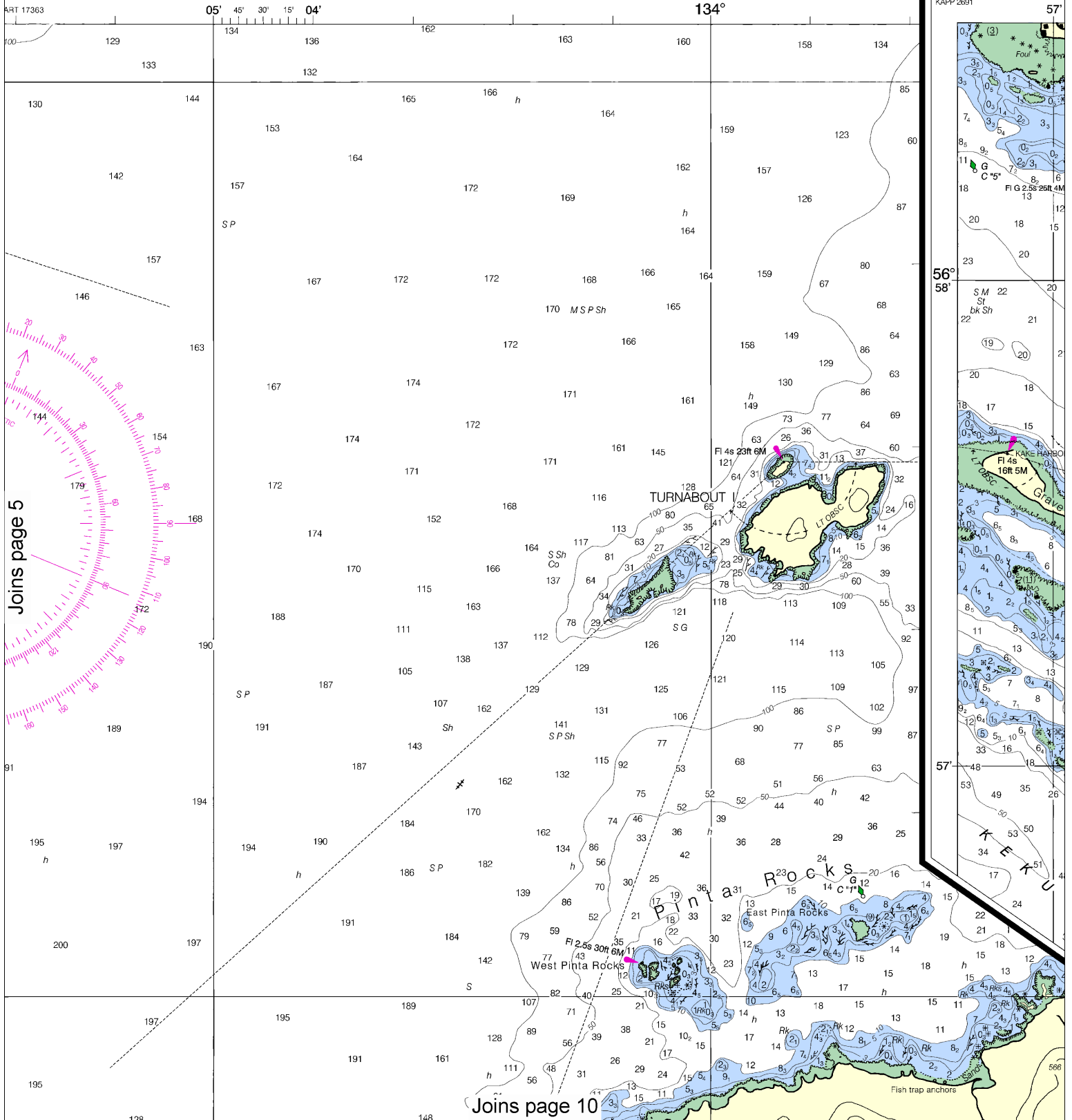
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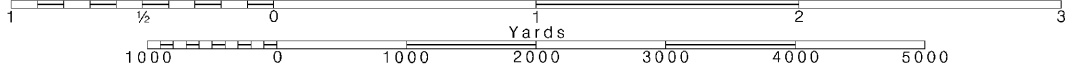
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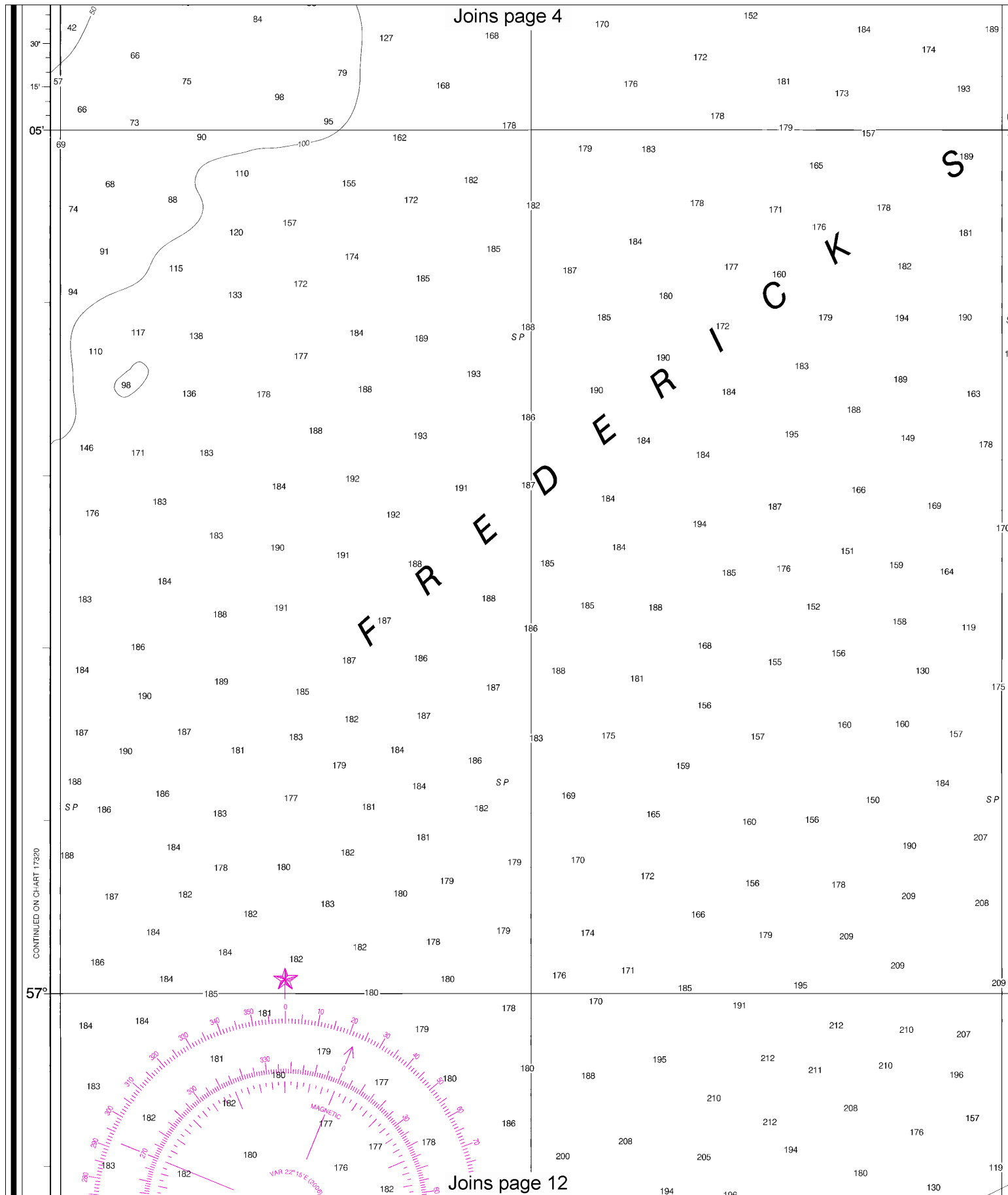


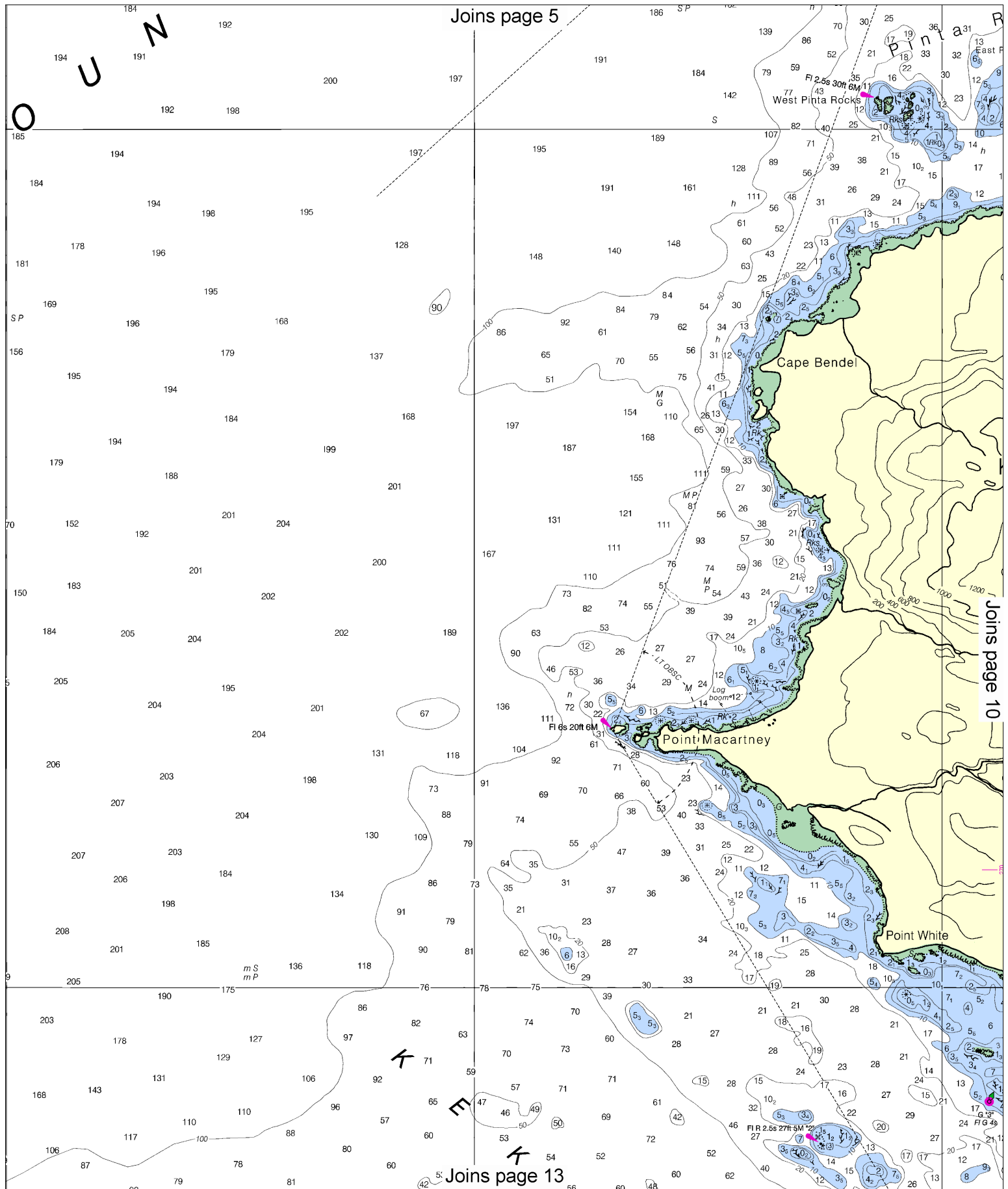
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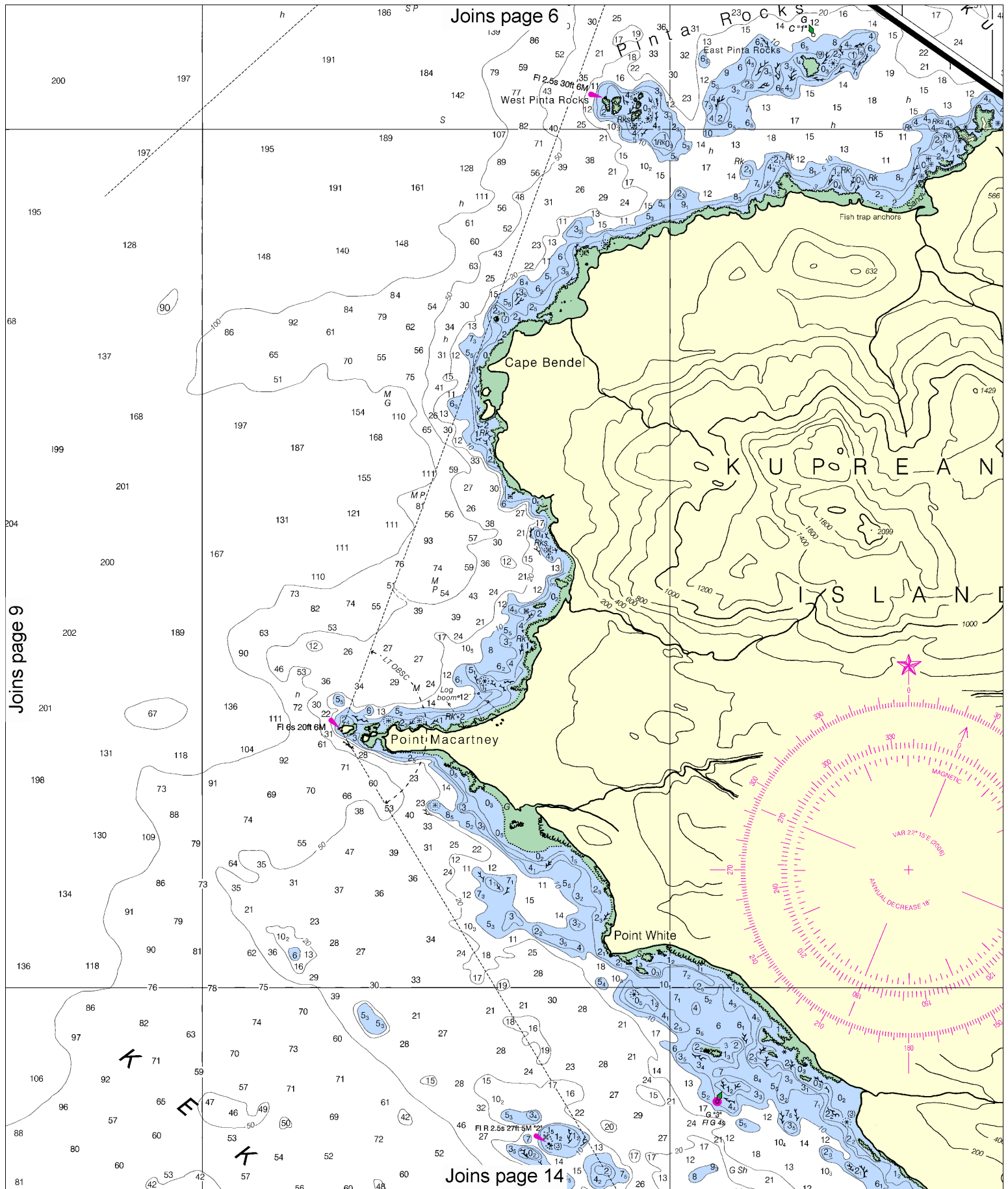


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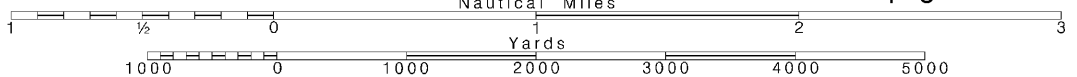


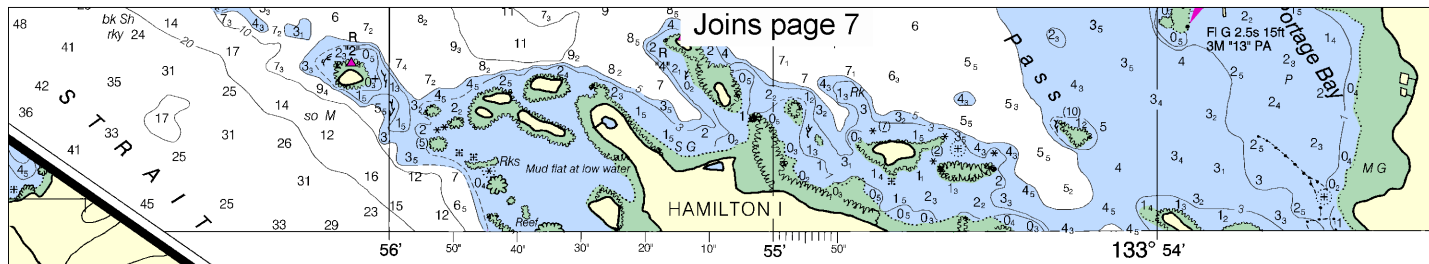
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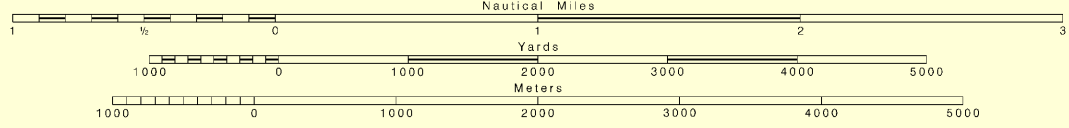
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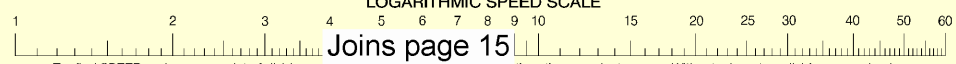
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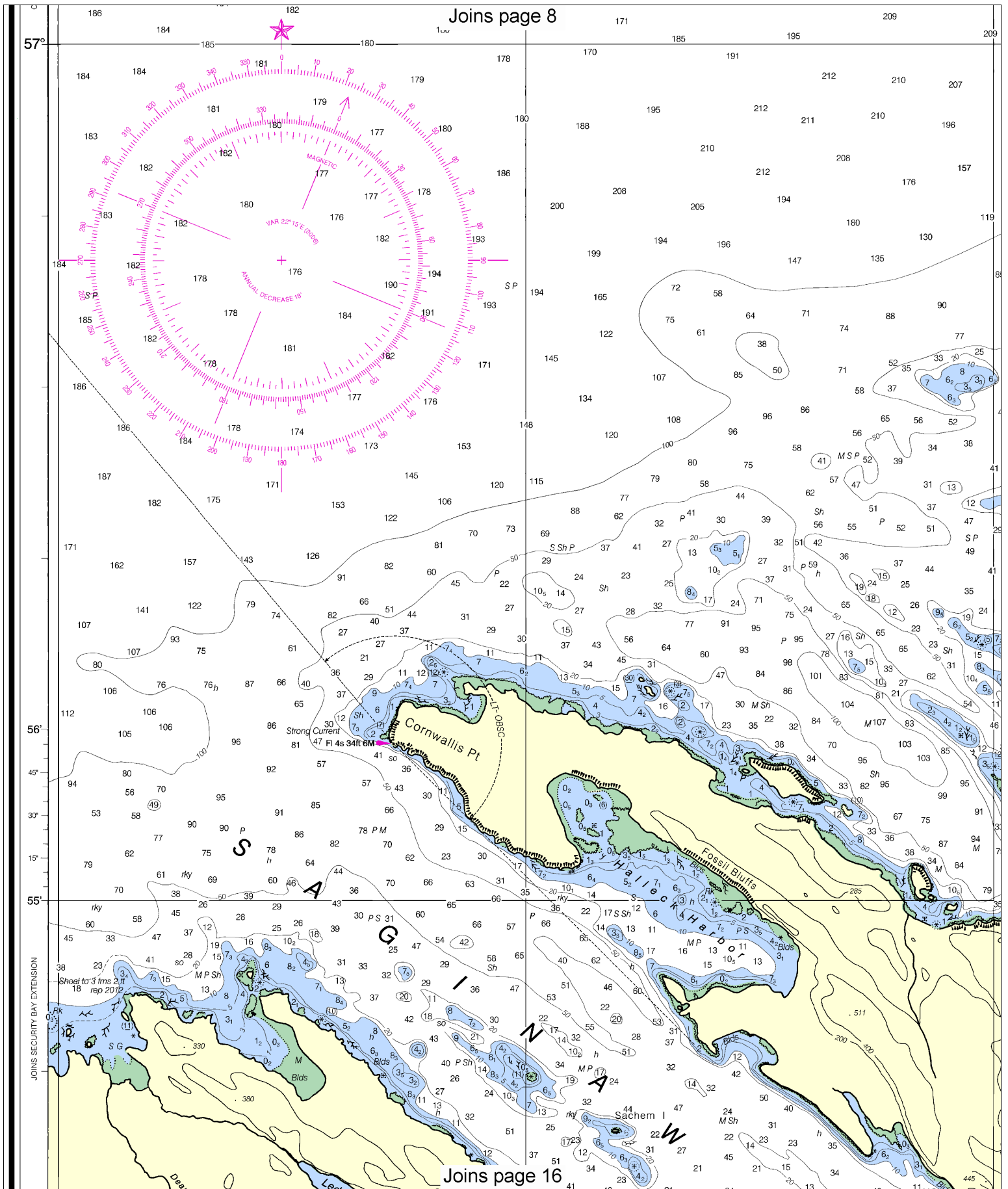
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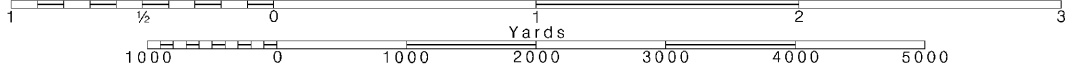
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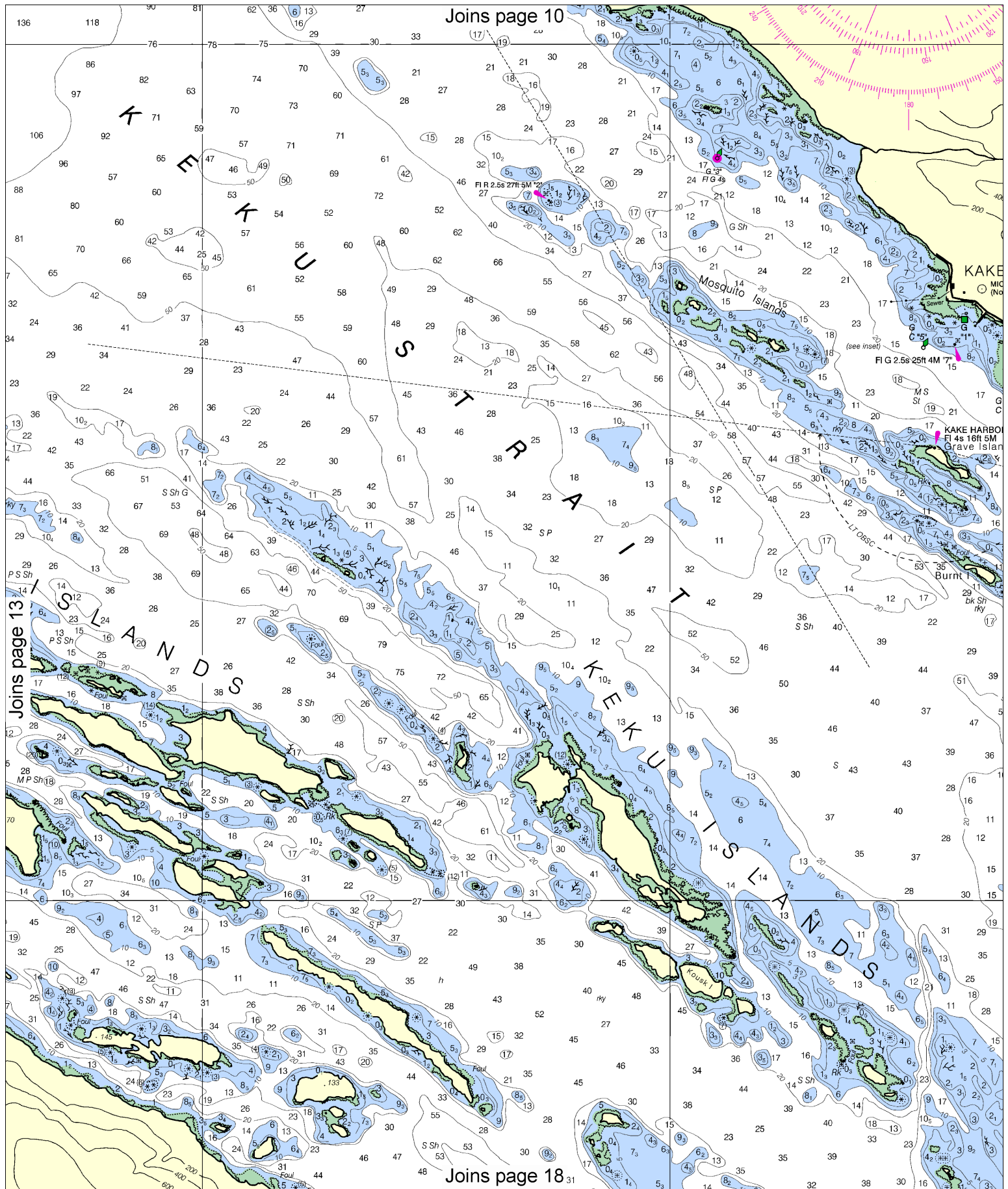
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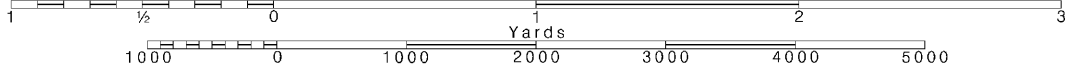
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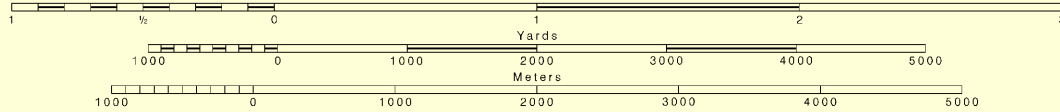
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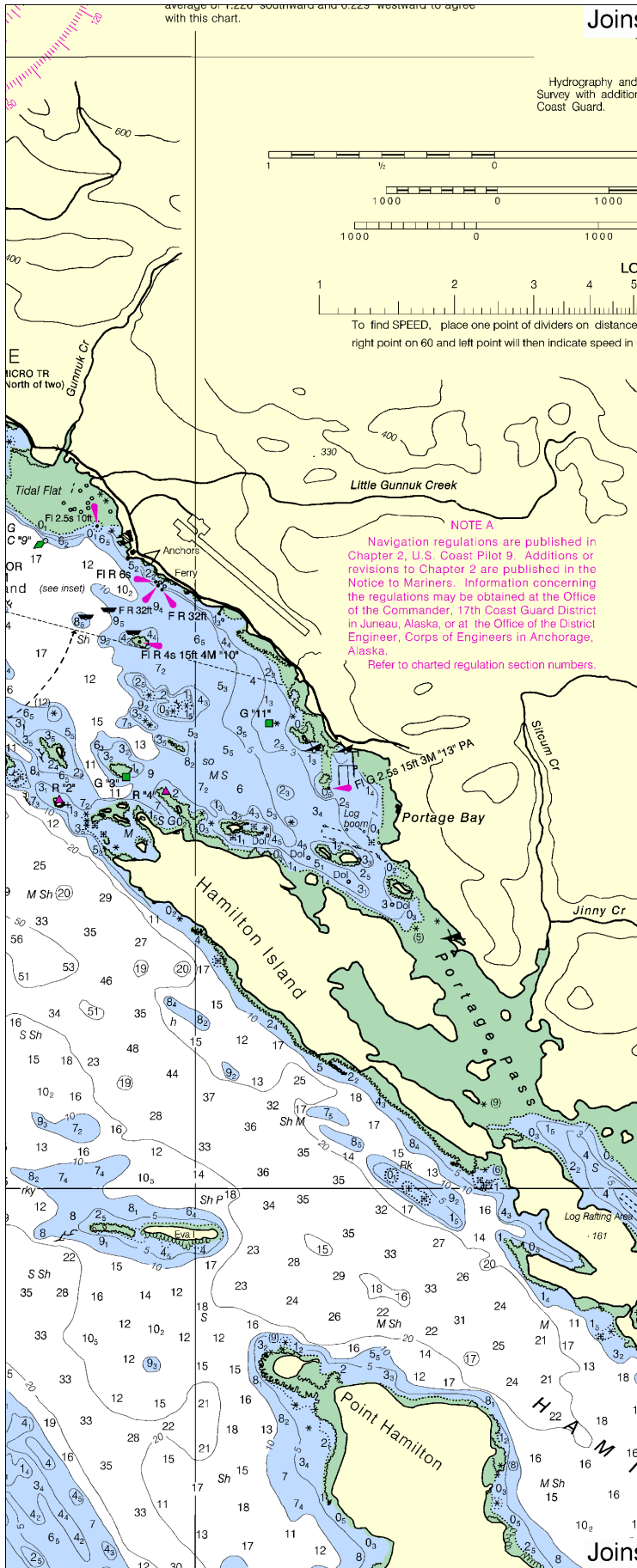


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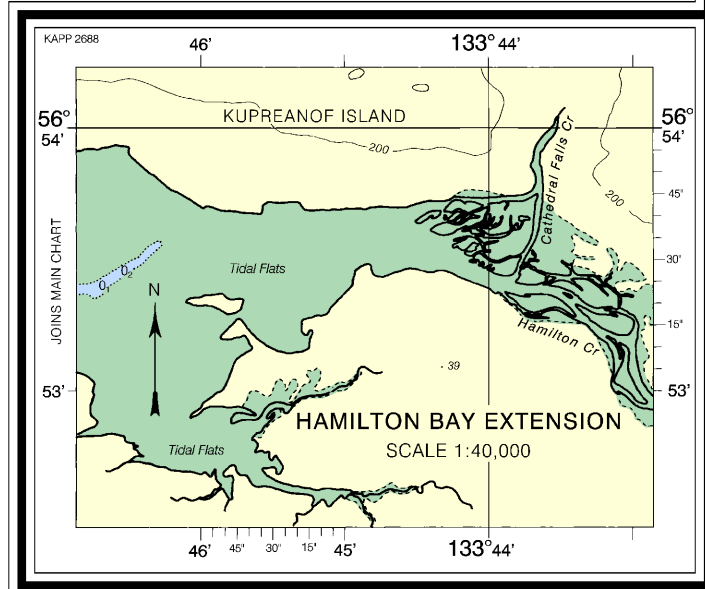
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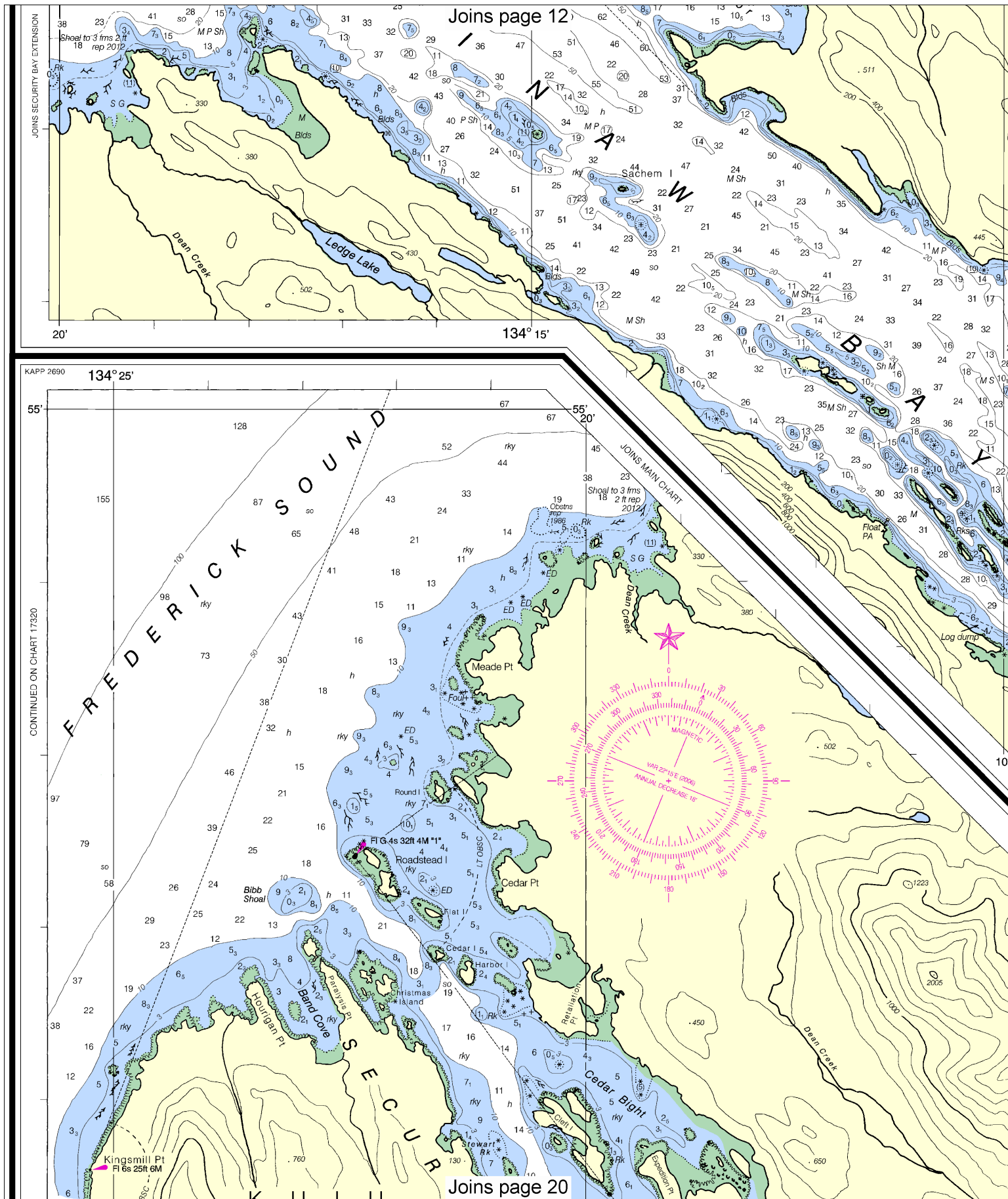


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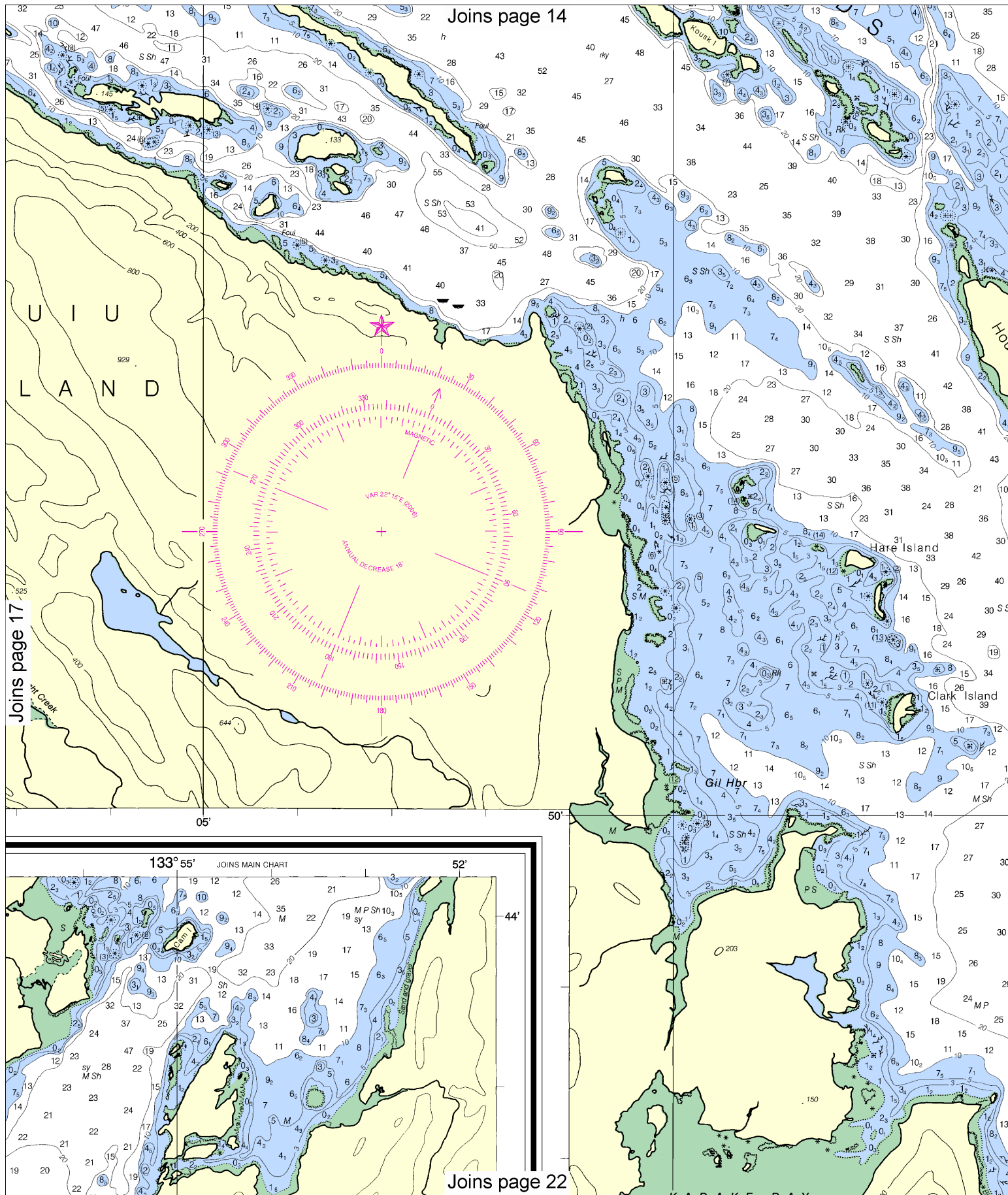
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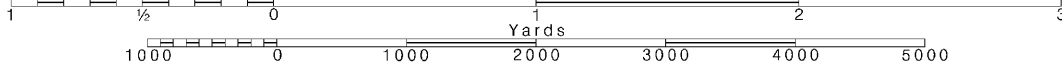
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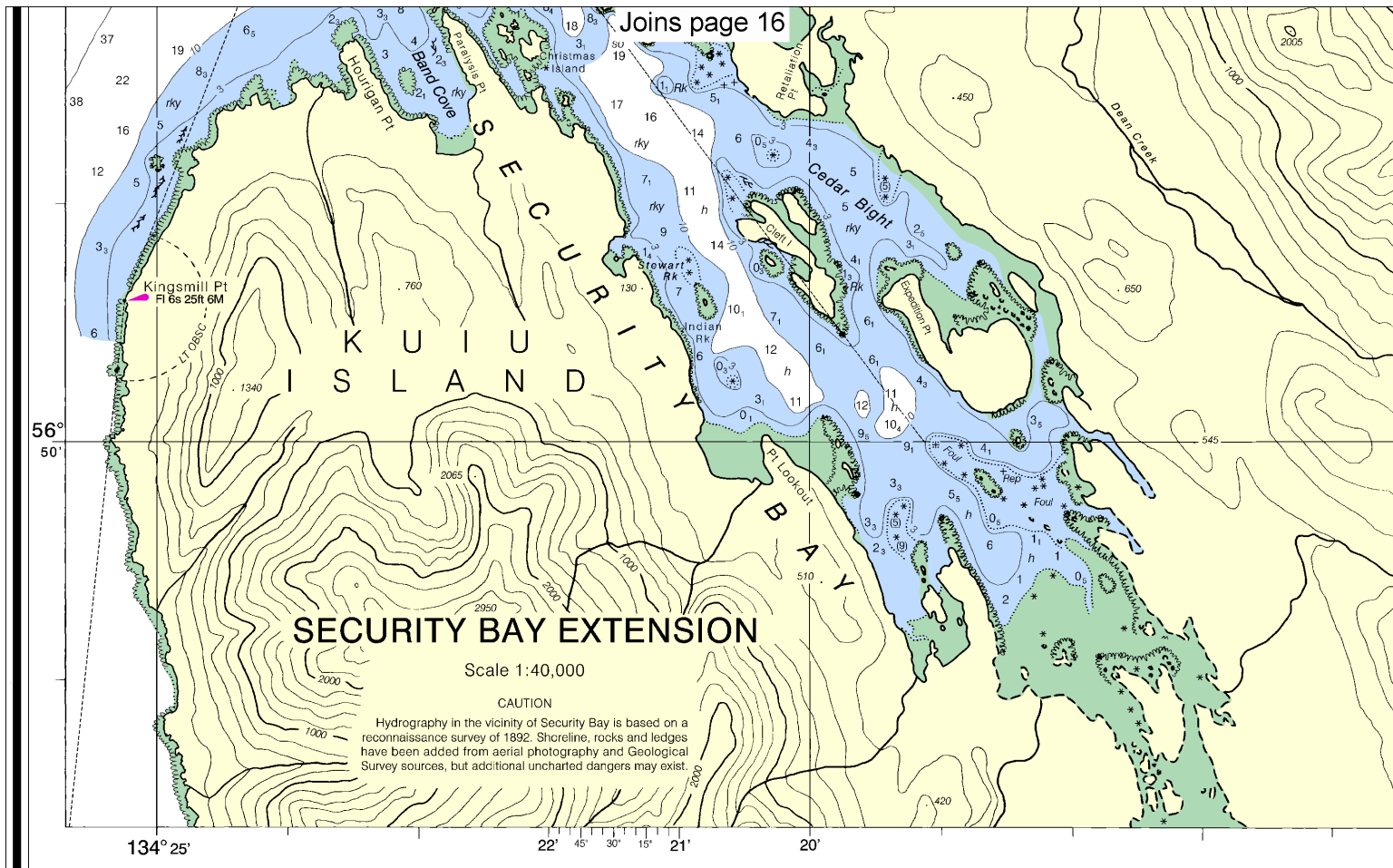
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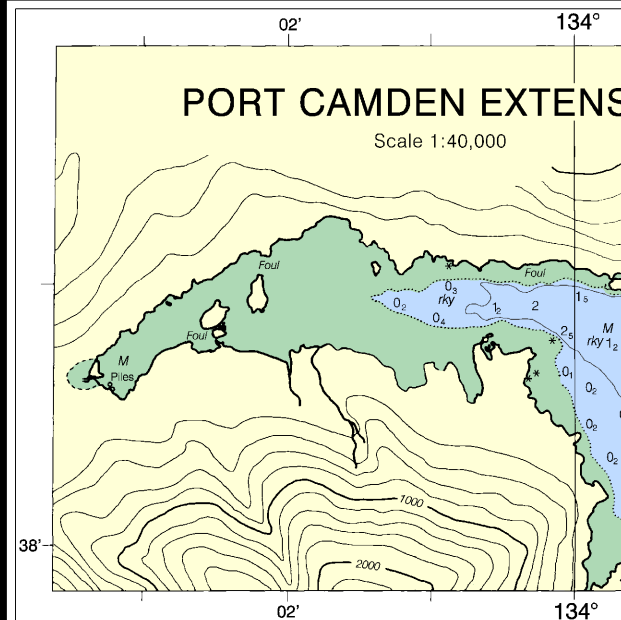
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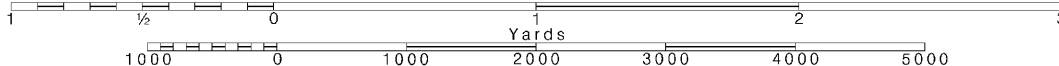
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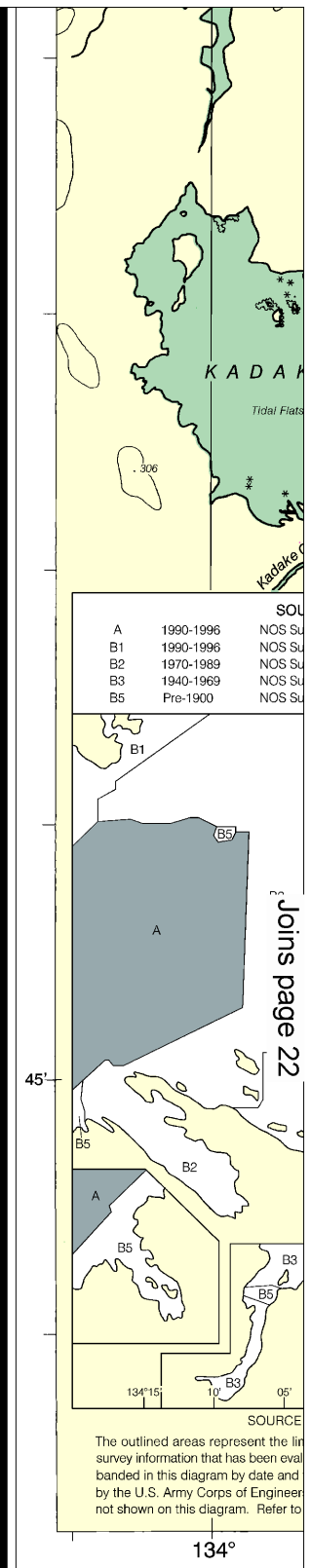
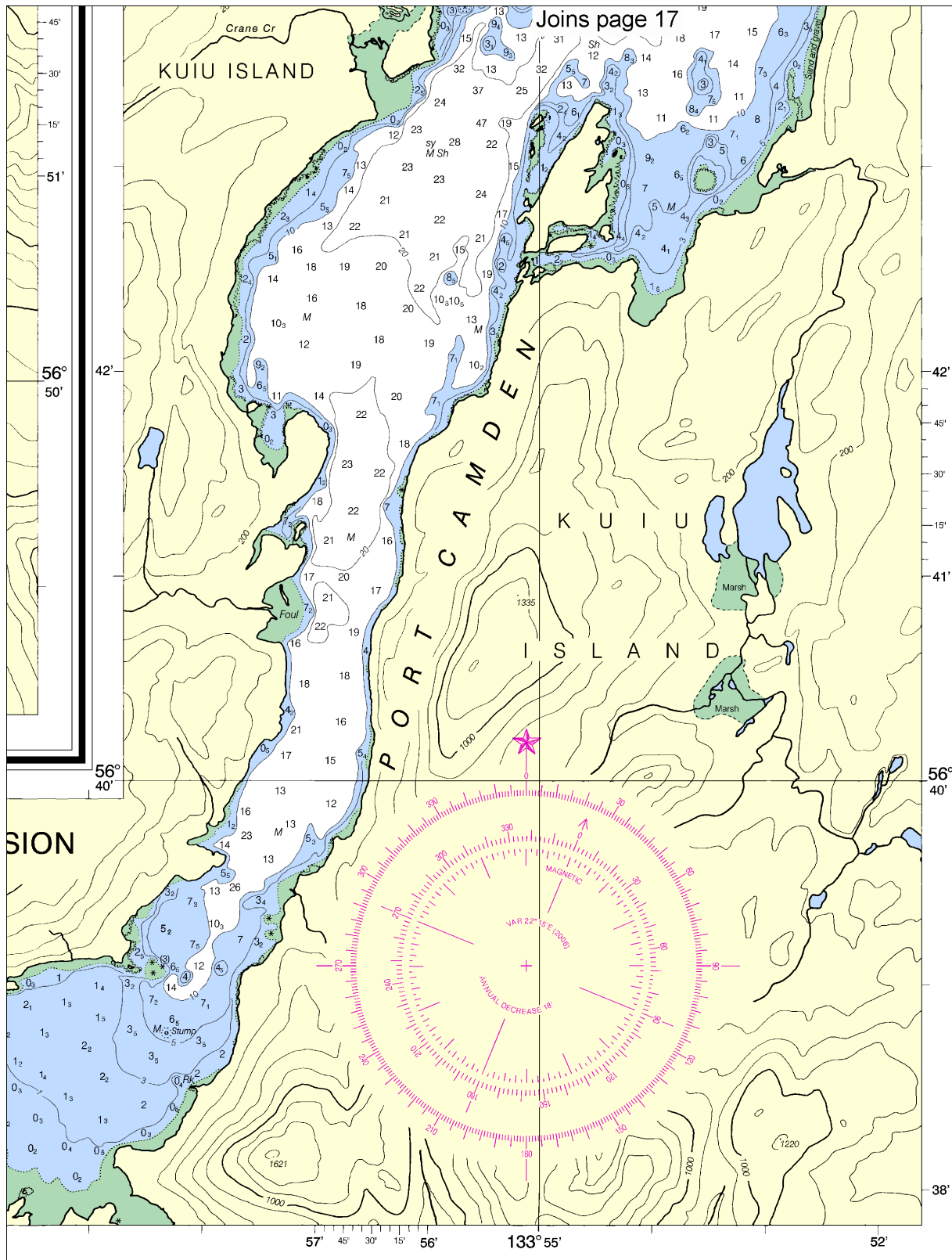
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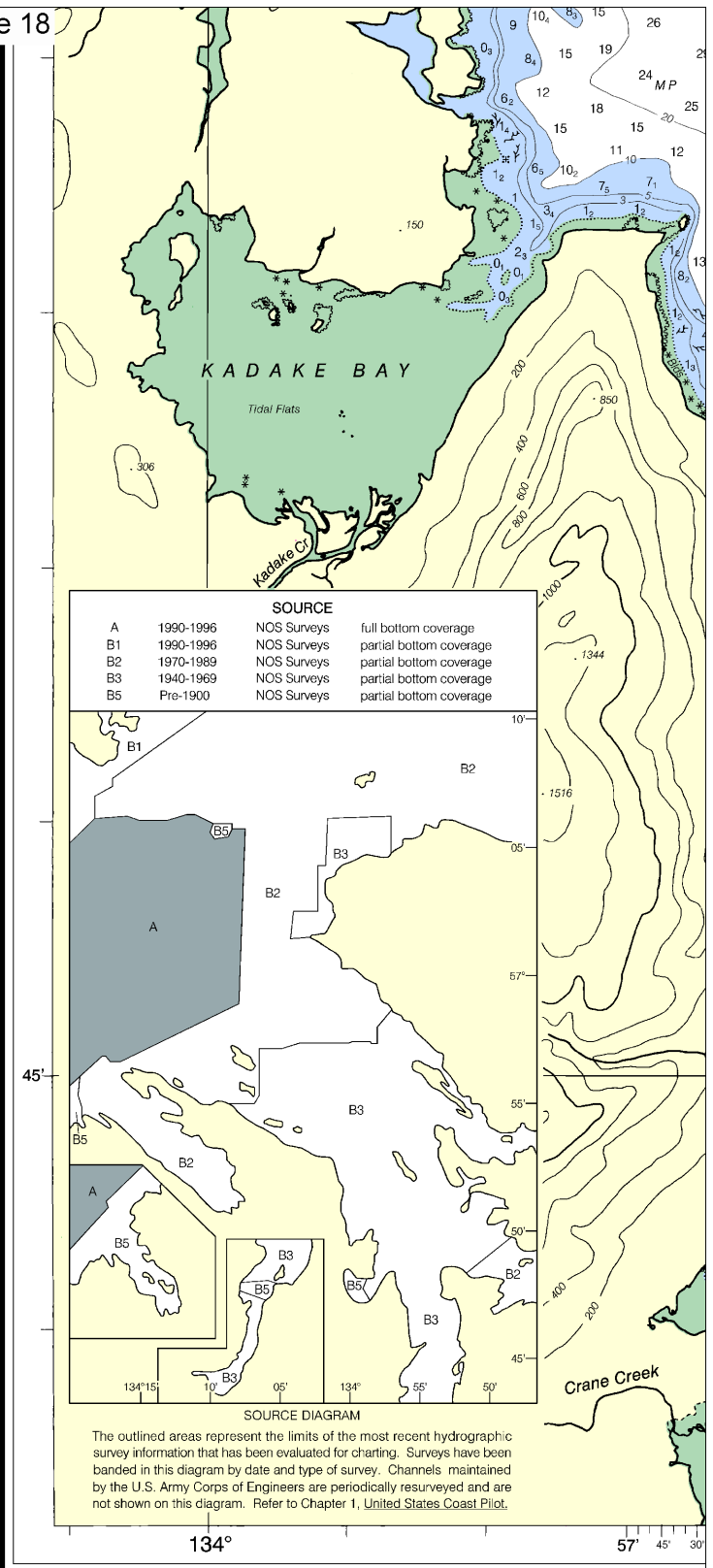
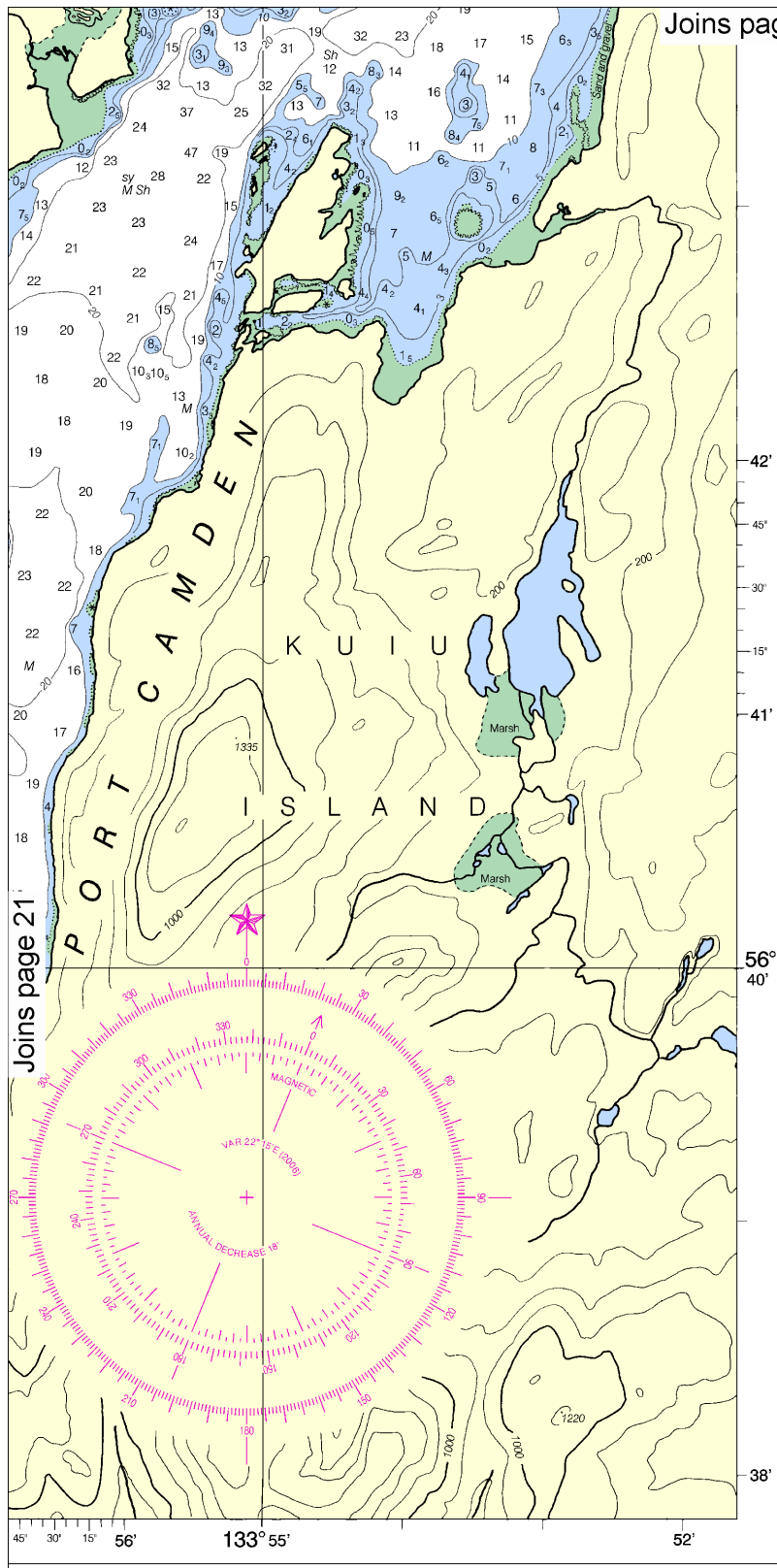
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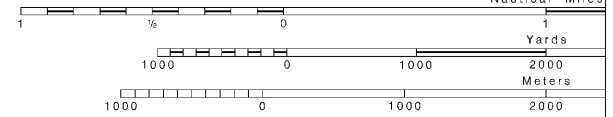
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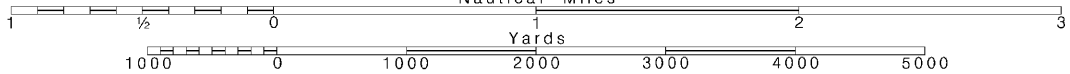


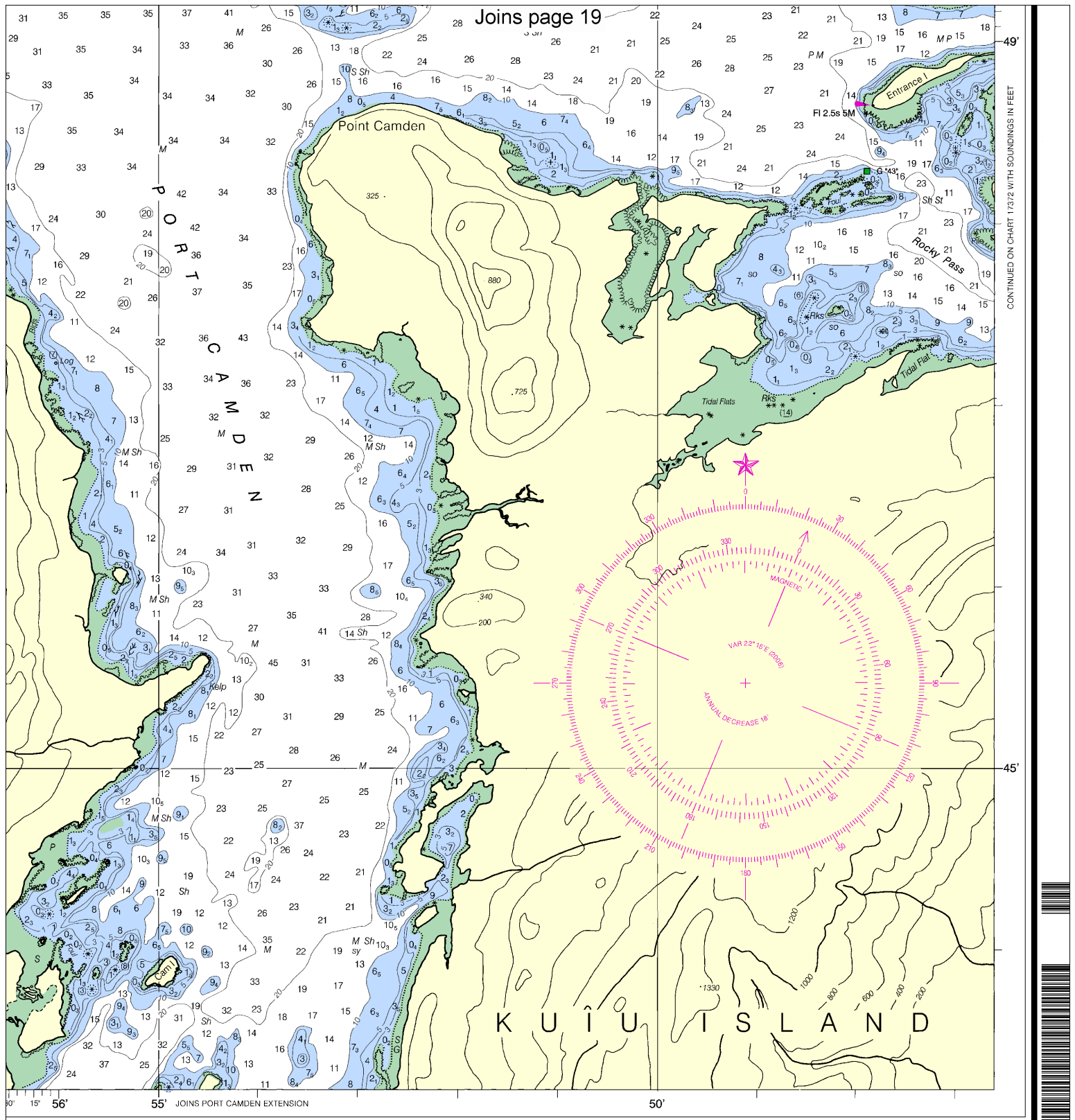
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Frederick Sound and Keku Strait
SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS - SCALE 1:40,000

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VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other

vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.

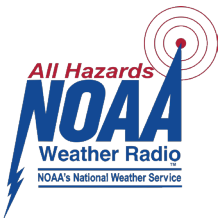
Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 and 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Getting and Giving Help — Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.

Distress Call Procedures

- Make sure radio is on.
- Select Channel 16.
- Press/Hold the transmit button.
- Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds — If no response Repeat MAYDAY call.

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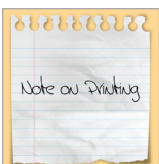
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